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THE K. OF L. WILL REJECT

The Proposition Submitted by the Present Administration

REGARDING THE DISMISSAL

of Members of the Order From Gov ernment Employ-They Assume a Threatening Attitude Toward Mo-Kinley Despite the Statement Made by Powderly at Cincinnati-Importance of the Matter.

Second Dispatch to the Intelligencer.
COLUMNUS, O., June 26.—The conference of the Knights of Labor here has genned a phase somewhat threatening gward McKinley. As heretofore indi-cated, the initial question before the eting was the discharge of members the Knights of Labor employed in he government departments.

Deeming Ohio the pivotal State in the pext Presidential campaign, the conferace was brought to this city; where the keenest blow can descend if the organintion wishes. The defeat of McKinley, in the opinion of eminent stateswould mean the defeatof Harrison or the Republican nominee for Presilent. A secret conference was held at eld a few days since by Major insteld a few days since by Alajor-Kinley, Senator Sherman and Secre-ye Toster, it being the intention of-later board to give the administra-n one more chance for amicable at-tment. At this secret conference a obstition was made to the Knights of bor which since that time has been the smideration by that board

abor when since that time has dead mader consideration by that board. It is now stated upon good authority hat the board has decided to reject the opesition submitted in behalf of the diministration. This proposition did of agree to reinstate all the dismissed uplayes; therefore the labor men seek arther concessions or war.

ther concessions or war.
It will be remembered that Mr. Pow in an interview at Cincinnati, ded that the K. of L. was not antagclared that the K. of L. was existic to Major McKinley.

THEY DENY IT.

Another dispatch says: Considerable seculation is being indulged in as to be probable political action, if any, which will be taken by the executive board. Messra. Powderly, Hayes and Pedia are authority for the statement that nothing of this kind has been decused in the meeting, and they deay the report to the effect that the Fester-McKinley and Sherman meeting as Wanshald this week had any conner-Mansfield this week had any connec tion with the conference of the ex-Board now in session. As to what political action, if any may be taken, they state it is a matter for the future.

THE STRIKE AT DOBSONS'.

Report of the Special Agent Appointed by Secretary Foster.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., June 26 .- The special agent appointed by Secretary foster to inquire into the recent strike at the John & James Dobson's mills has male his report. It is a lengthy one, and embraces both sides of the story. Ile does not recommend what sort of action shall be taken, but from the testimony presented it looks as if the matter will be taken into court. John and James Dobson are charged by their former employes of importing contract labor. This is not denied by the Dobsons, as they claim it was a necessity, as the work could not be done by the wavers in this country. The trouble graw out of a strike. The strikers said the Jobsons were getting foreigners to take their places at reduced wages. The Dobsons claim that the weavers were and embraces both sides of the story. osous claim that the weavers were monapetent and could not weavers were more and could not weave velerat. On the other side, the weavers watend that they could, and a number of them testified before the special agent hat this kind of work they learned in largeand. They also testified that the orpor material was not furnished them and that the loom-fivers were unkilled. and that the loom-fixers were unskilled in this branch of weaving, and the poor work done was attributed to these

Amalgamated Association Perranement, Pa., June 26 .- At this morning's session of the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers

President, William Wiehe; Secretary, Stephen Madden; Assistant Secretary, J. C. Kilgallon; Treasurer, James Perry, J. C. Kilgallon; Treasurer, J. All the vice presidents were re-elected, 25 were the other officers. The scale conference committee will again be in session with the manufac-turers to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Longshoremen Strike.

CHICAGO, June 26. - Longshoremen employed at the Lehigh, Ogdensburg, Union and Anchor line docks, to the humber of about 500, went on strike esterday for an advance in wages from Jestemay for an advance in wages from the present rate of twenty cents per hour to twenty-five cents. The Lehigh line has granted the demands of its men and they have returned to work.

A Critical Situation.

TACOMA, WASH., June 26.-It was rumored here last night that the colored oknen are drilling in the woods ily. They are said to be armed with rifles, and any attempt so resume work at the mines will result in gathering the chile force of armed soldiers. Resi-dunts here are awaiting results with this bare are awaiting results.

The First World's Fair Building.

CHICAGO, June 26 .- Work upon the first of the World's Fair buildings was begun to-day. The structure for which the digging for the foundations was thus begun is the woman's building, to be created according to the plans of Miss Sophia G. Hayden, of Boston, Mass. It is to be 200 by 400 feet in size and three stories high.

Woodruff Indicted.

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., June 26.-The grand jury this morning returned an indictment against ex-State Treasurer Woodraff for embesslement of State funds.

Plate Glass Works Burned.

Euroop, IND., June 26.—The casting hall and furnace room of, the Diamond Plate Glass Company's works here have been burned. Loss \$50,000.

COINAGE OF SILVER.

Secretary Foster will Proceed to Carry Out the Law Passed by Congress.

Washington, D. C., June 26.—After

the cabinet meeting to-day Secretary Foster made the following statement in regard to the silver question: After a full and careful consideration of the THEY COULD NOT GET A LICENSE law relating to coinage of silver, Secretary Foster finds that the act of March 3, 1891, requires "that the Secretary of the Treasury shall, as soon as practica-ble, coin the trade dollar bars into silver dollars." He also finds that \$150,000 dollars." He also made that supposed has been appropriated for the recoinage of the subsidiary silver coin into such denominations as will best serve to give it circulation. There is constant demand for small coins, principally dimes, mand for small coins, principally dimes, which the mints lave not been able to supply. The Secretary of the Treasury has decided that his first duty in this matter is to obey the direction of Congress. Congress has ordered the coinage of the trade dollar bars into standard silver dollars. The coinage of trade dollar bars in this manner will transform what costs \$5,087,795, into \$5,148,-281 standard dollars. The Secretary finds that it will require perhaps four months to perform the work of coining trade dollar bars into standard dollars and recoining the subsidiary silver. Therefore, the question of the continued coinage of silver dollars as hereofore is not a practical one at present.

The Cabinet Meeting.

Washington, June 26 .- A regular meeting of the Cabinet was held to-day, beginning at 11:30 o'clock. The ab-Proctor and Attorney General Miller. The principal topic of discussion was the continued coinage of silver after July 1, and the Secretary of the Treasury presented considerable data on the subject.

West Virginia Pensions.

Special Disputch to the Intelligencer.
Washington, June 26.—West Vir ginia pensions: Original-David T. Lowsi, William Broun, Charles Price,
George W. Cunningham, George C.
Gordon, Benjamin W. Bell, John Gates,
Commodore Lasner. Additionals —
Wade H. Powers, Frances M. Wells,
William H. Perkins, Felix E. Kerns.
Increase—William R. Lamb. Original—
Elizabeth A. Campbell, Ruth A. Dayton (mother) Joseph J. Spear, Samuel
Linn, Chapman Vance, George Pitcher,
James F. Fleming, Samuel H. Sampler,
Daniel Criddle, John T. Grayum,
William T. Pierce, Thomas Logsdon,
Solomon Williams, John N. Toothman,
John W. Host, William R. Davis,
Stephen H. Wauless. Additional—
Daniel C. Ayers, John R. Thaxton. Increase—Edward Pearce, William Jett,
John H. Dunbar, James M. Pyles,
George W. Shaffer. Lowsi, William Broun, Charles Price

Sons of Veterans' Appointments.

Special Dispatch to the Intellig New Martinsville, W. Va., June 26. -Colonel J. S. McCaskey, Commandant of the Sons of Veterans of West Virof the Sons of Veterans of West Virginia, has made the following appointments of staff officers for the ensuing year: Chaplain, W. W. McHenry, of Parkersburg; Adjutant, W. T. Sidells, of New Martinsville; Quartermaster, C. D. Moore, of New Martinsville; Inspector, E. B. Mörris, of Clarksburg; mustering officet, Past Colonel E. D. Hazen, of Parkersburg; Surgeon, Dr. W. P. McGrail, of Wheeling.

TRAMPLED TO DEATH.

A Team of Horses Plays Havoc at a Ma

NEW ORLEANS, LA., June 27 .- The Masons of the city celebrated St. John's Day vesterday at West End, and among the means of entertainment was a lot of fireworks. The platform of the pyrotechnics held thousands of people. Into technics held thousands of people. Into these there dashed at the explosion of the first bomb a team of horses and a carriage which had been standing in the roadway. Mrs. A. F. Michel was knocked down, her skull fractured and her bödy cruelly torn by the horses' hoofs. Her two children were slightly injured. Mrs. John C. Fleming, wife of the Past Grand Master, was bally hurt. Harry Russell, a bookkeeper, was killed. He boldly attempted to stop the team, but was thrown beneath their feet, where his life was literally stamped out of him. Henry Johnson, the colored driver of the carriage, has been ar-rested, charged with manslaughter.

A FEMALE CROOK

Arrested for Forgery—She Jumps Through a Car Window and Escapes.

Chicago, June 26 .- At noon yesterday Deputy Sheriff Reno, of Denver, Colo. left here with Mrs. E. L. Philoincustody She was under bond in Denver for forgery and other swindling operations, but jumped her bail. She was arrested here and turned over to Rono. Word was received here to-day that the woman escaped from custody by jumping through the car window while the train was in motion and that, though the region thereabouts had been thoroughly searched no trace of her carled by searched, no trace of her could be

He Hopes for Forgiveness.

SHREVEPORT, LA., June 26 .- Tom Harris, colored, was hanged inside the parish jail here to-day for the murder of Ella Franklin, his mistress, who was killed on Texas avenue Friday night, May 12. He ascended the scaffold with manifest resignation and expressed re-gret over his crime and hoped he would be forgiven.

Will California be at Chicago? San Francisco, June 26.—State Comp troller Colgan's attorney, J. A. Barham has advised him not to pay the \$300,000 appropriated by the Legislature for California's exhibit at the World's Fair, on the ground that the appropriation is unconstitutional.

Carriage Deniers Fall.

Boston, Mass., June 26,-The firm of Kimball Brothers, manufacturers and dealers in carringes, failed and made an assignment to George W. Morie without preferences. Liabilities about \$100,000; assets \$50,000 to \$75,000.

Steamship News.

PRILADELPHIA, PA., June 26.—Arrived —Manitoban, from Glasgow. Loxpox, June 26.—Sighted—City of Berlin, from New York. New York, June 26 .- Arrived-Kaiser

Wilhelm II, from Bremen

FROM OVER THE SEA.

Why Parnell and Mrs., O'Shea Were Married by the Registrar.

At Any of the Country Churches ... A Religious Ceremony to Be Performed, but Reporters Will Be Excluded --- The Bakers' Strike in Paris -Other Foreign Intelligence.

LONDON, June 26 .- Mr. Parnell, during his interview at Brighton to-day upon his marriage to Mrs. O'Shea, said that he found it impossible to procure a marriage license for any country church, and in order to prevent delay he thought it best to have the ceremony performed at the registry office at Stey-ning, near Brighton. Mr. Parnell added that the church ceremony would be celebrated in London as soon as he and Mrs. Parnell were able to put in a fortnight's residence there. This would probably be after the elections at Carlow for a successor in Parliament to the late O'Gorman Mahon. Mr. Parnell also, in referring to the religious ceremony which is to take place in London, said that even in this he would do his best to prevent outsiders from being present, "especially reporters," he added, with a smile.

Asked if he intended to take an active

ration the Carlow election, Mr. Parnell replied: "I shall certainly go to Carlow. In fact, I start to-morrow night if I can possibly manage to do so. I am confident that we shall win."

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This election, it may be stated, is the only election since the O'Shea divorce proceedings which Mr. Parnell has had a chance of winning. He will take Mrs. Parnell with him to Carlow if he can possibly do so, but Mrs. Parnell is known to be a bad sallor, and, on the other hand, she is compelled to remain near her lawyers, owing to the coming near her lawyers, owing to the coming trial of the will suit in which she and her breihers are interested in respect to the Altham property. Mr. Parnell intends in the future to

devote special attention to the Irish in-dustrial question, in which he is more interested than any other question at present. Recently Mr. Parnell has given general support to Mr. Balfour's Irish land bill, believing it is a good bill

In conclusion, Mr. Parnell said he ir In conclusion, Mr. Parnell said he intends, if possible, to visit the United States during the coming autumn, being of the opinion that the sentiment of the Irish and Irish-Americans on the other side of the Atlantic is in his favor. Consequently, Mr. Parnell will try to attend the Irish National Convention to be held in Baltimore, Md., during the fall. to be h

the fall.

When Mr. Parnell was asked what he thought would be the political effect of his marriage to Mrs. O'Shea, he said that he had not given that question a thought, and that he did not intend to think of what the effect of his marriage would be. He and his wite, Mr. Parnell exclaimed, were perfectly happy and he was now experiencing greater happiness than ever previously during the entire course of his life. The reporter with whom Mr. Parnell had this interview adds: "I never saw Mr. Parnell in a more healthy condition or in better spirits."

Mr. Parnell has sent greetings to a number of adherents in the House of Commons, expressing pleasure that the prolonged period of suspense is over and thanking them for their steadfast friendship during his troubles. He writes under an apparent conviction that his marriage will rapidly enable him to be reinstated as Irish leader in Parliament. A strong impression in the same direction werelly in the House of Commonstion were and the House of Commonstion werelly in the House of Commonstion were and the House of Commonstion werelly in the House of Commonstion were and the House of Commonstitutes and the House of Commonstitutes and the House of Commons When Mr. Parnell was asked what he

reinstated as Irish leader in Farliament. A strong impression in the same direction prevails in the House of Commons in spite of the knowledge of the fact that the Catholic clergy will not accept the marriage as condoning his offense. English Liberals are ready to hail him as a man doing his best to atone for his fault.

fault.

Mr. Gladstone's Health.
London, June 26.—Mr. Gladstone has started for Lowestof, where he hopes to be able to recruit his health. Abordeen, in whose house Mr. Glad-stone staid during his recent illness, thinks there is no cause for alarm; that the distinguished patient is merely suf-fering from the effects of influenza. Rest is necessary, but it will not pre-vent him from writing a magazine article while at the sea shore.

Outrages in China.

London, June 26 .- The Shanghal cor respondent of the Standard says that even the government's decree ordering the prompt beheading of all persons implicated in the recent riots and mas sacres has failed to stop the outrages which are being perpetrated on foreign-ers in China. The correspondent adds that there are now twenty foreign men-of-war lying in the Yangtse Kiang.

Tricky Policemen.

Lisnon, June 26 .- Letters received in this city from members of the congres sional party of Chile, accuse the police who are serving under the Balmaceda administration of throwing imitation bombs at the ministers, so as to afford a pretext for the arrest of the congressional negotiations.

Prince Alexander Very III.

VIENNA, June 26.—Prince Alexander of Battenberg, Prince of Bulgaria, whose gallantry defeated King Milan in the Bulgaria-Servian war in 1885, is dan-gerously ill. Prince Alexander is suf-fering from an ulcer in the stomach.

Mr. Spurgeon Worse London, June 26 .- The Rev. Charles

Spurgeon, whose illness is causing his friends some alarm, passed a restless night and this morning seems to be in a worse condition than he was yester-day at the same time. Storms in England.

storms are reported throughout England and Ireland. Much damage was caused by floods, and several houses were burned or shattered by lightning

LONDON, June 26 .- Heavy thunder

The Russian Army. St. Peressuuso, June 28.—An Impe- 500,000, assets of trial ukase with reference to recruiting fiscated years ago.

for the army places the number of recruits for 1891 at 262,400, against 21,000 in 1881.

The Bakers' Strike in Paris.

Pants, June 26 .- In spite of the bakers' demonstration of yesterday and the prospects of a scarcity of meat, vege-tables and fruit, as well as of bread, it tables and fruit, as well as of bread, it is now stated that the majority of the bakers have not struck. To-day the bakeries and registrars' offices are thoroughly guarded by police, and the military authorities have made arrangements to supply the master bakers with all the bread they require. As there are prospects of further and more serious trouble as the result of the strike movement, the troops forming the garrison of Paris are confined to barracks, and all demonstrations or attempts to create a disturbance of the peace are rigorously repressed.

A Steamer Ashore. London, June 26.—News has been received to the effect that the Brighton & South Coast railroad passenger steamer Normandy, plying between Dieppe, France and New Haven, ran on the rocks off Beachy Head during a fog this morning. There were 150 passengers on board the Normandy at the time she ran ashore. Luckily the sea was calm and no loss of life is reported. At the affices of the Brighton & South Coast railroad in this city the statement is made that the passengers are entirely out of danger and that steamers have been sent to the Normandy's assistance. It is added that the steamship has suf-fered but little damage and that it is ex-pected that she will be floated during the day.

Jack the Ripper's Latest. London, June 26.—The vigilance com-

mittee in Whitechapel has been re awakened to activity by an undoubted warning from Jack the Ripper. Patrols and-vigilants were revived to-night, and Scotland Yard sent an extraordinary contingent to watch the Whitechapel

district.

A letter identical in style and writing with previous missives from Jack the Ripper has been received by the chairman of the vigilants in which "Jack" announces that he is about to perform? another "operation," and that if the chairman or vigilants attempts to track him he will knife them to the heart. It is the duty of the police, he says, to catch him. He adds that he has been nearly caught twice, but that he will never be taken alive.

Sir William Recovering,

Lendon, June 26 .- Sir William Gordon-Cumming's defense in the baccarat case, wherein he proposed to explain how he was suspected, has been sup-pressed by the advice of friends. The cordial reception accorded to Sir William and his wife by the Elgin county families is a further cason why he should maintain silence. reason why he should maintain silence. Ho finds his social relations the same as ever. If there is any change, it is on the side of sympathetic cordility. The appearance of Sir William as a candidate for Parliament in the next election is being arranged for. A quiet canyass proceeds in favor of nominating him for Elgin county in the conservative interest. the conservative interest.

Fatal Fall of a Scaffold.

ELIZABETH, N. J., June 26.-A scaffold it the foundry being built for the Worthington Pump Company, of Brooklyn, near the Singer Sewing Machine Works, at Elizabethport, fell this morning. Gabriel Williams, aged thirty years, and Michael Nolan, aged twentyles areas of Elizabeth was believed. ty years, and Michael Nolan, aged twenty-live years, of Elizabeth, were killed; l'atrick Maher, of Elizabeth, and Remus Hundley, colored, of Newark, were fatally injured, their limbs Being broken and heads crushed. James Kelly, Patrick Jones and Michael McCarty, of Elizabeth, were also seriously hurt. The injured men were taken to the hospital.

Embezzler Sentenced.

New York, June 26 .- James A. Simmons, who was convicted of aiding General Peter J. Classen, President of the Sixth National Bank, in the embezzlement of the funds of that institution was to-day sentenced to six years im-prisonment in the Eric county peniten-tiary. An appeal will be taken to the United States Supreme Court.

None of the Bodles Found.

CINCINNATI, O., June 26 .- At midnight to-night not one of the bodies of the five pleasure seekers that were run down by a steamer and drowned at Riverside last night had been found. The river is full of search boats and is illuminated with torch fires.

Dr. Northrup Dead. NEW YORK, June 27 .- Dr. John L. Northrup, instructor in zoology at Columbia College, who was badly burned yesterday afternoon by the explosion of a cask of alcohol, died early this morn-ing in the Presbyterian Hospital.

Michigan's Contribution.

LANSING, MICH., June 26.—The Senate has passed the House bill calling for a vote of the people upon the question of calling a convention for a general re-vision of the State constitution.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

The New Orleans Board of Health de nies that there is any yellow fever in that city.

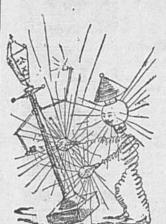
William J. Dunseith shot and killed James McElhenny at Wilmington, Del., last night, during a quarrel. Mrs. Maine Hill, the woman supposed

to be afflicted with leprosy, died at her home in Buffalo county, Wisconsin, at the age of sixty-one.

The stone mason's strike at Pitts-burgh ended yesterday, the men going to work on the old terms. Five hundred men were involved. Last night in a sporting House at West Superior, Wis., George Burk shot Nellie Skinner, alias Nellie King, the cowboy detective, and there is scarcely any chance of her recovery.

Several Youngstown, Ohio, and New Castle, Pa., base ball players were poisoned at a hotel in the latter place yesterday from eating dried beef. All are critically ill.

The Kenosha County Bank of Wisconsin began suit in the United States District Court yesterday against George F. Harding, of Chicago, to recover Si., 500,000, assets of the institution he con-



THE NEW KNOCKS OUT THE OLD.

THE WORK BEGUN.

Mrs. W. Newton Lyach Has Organized the Ladies of the Art Middle Class. Mrs. W. Newton Lynch is exibiting

rigor and earnestness in her work for the World's Fair that will surely in spire the ladies of Wheeling and West Virginia to do their best to make the exhibit which the ladies of the Little exhibit which the ladies of the Little Mountain State will be privileged to call their own, a credit to themselves and to the great nation of which they are an important part. Mrs. Lynch said to a reporter last night that she never dreamed the job she had undertaken was nearly so big as she finds it. She can turn in no direction, nor to any trade profession or line of work in which she does not find women taking an important part. Many have taken leading places in many lines where they would hardly be expected to women taking an important part. Many have taken leading places in many lines where they would hardly be expected to be found, and they form an important and almost indispensable factor everywhere. In the factories their deft fingers find work to do which the clumsy, five-thumbed hands of men can not do. Their taste and judgment often put them in advance of the men, and where care and judgment are needed they are always superior. The ladies have their trades unions and where they mix with the men in such organizations they are usually found occupying official positions.

They are to be found everywhere and Mrs. Lynch is desirous that they shall all be represented at the Fair. She wants the working—women to be there with exhibits of their handiwork. She desires that the women of Wheeling be organized into clubs, each club with its particular work. Arlists, literary women, working women, needle-workers, en-

working women, needle-workers, em-brolderers, factory women, etc., are to be organized into clubs to promote and develop exhibits of their specialties. There is still another class of women There is still another class of women who have no specialty and no particular line of employment, whom she wants to organize into a club to promote the general interest in the work and to aid those who are in the special clubs. There is money to be raised for those who have a particular talent in some line, but not money sufficient to procure materials. This work can be handled by the women who have no special line. by the women who have no special line of talent or inclination. There will be work and lots of it for all and no woman in the city need feel that she can be of

Yesterday morning Mrs. Lynch me with the Art Needlework Club and gave them a start toward an organization. Mrs. W. F. Butler was elected president and Miss Amy Chapline secretary resummers and Miss Amy Chapline secretary.

Mrs. Butler appointed Mrs. Gibson Lamb, Miss Agnes Wilson and Miss Gertrude Lamb a committee to prepare by-laws. Mrs. Lynch will meet with this committee and instruct them as to just what sort of an organization will best suit the work to be done, and the organization will be completed next

The meeting at Y. M. C. A. hall to be held next Tuesday evening will be full of interest to ladies, and there should be and no doubt will be a large turnout.

THE BISHOP'S JUBILEE.

The Twenty-fifth Anniversary of His Or-The programme has been issued for

the celebration on July 2 of the sacerdotal silver jubilee of Rt. Rev. John J Kain, Roman Catholic Bishop of this diocese. There will be solemn pontifical mass at 9 a. m., with an address by cal mass at 9 a. m., with an address by Rt. Rev. Mgr. Sullivan, Vicar General of the diocese, and another by Rev. Father Didacus, O. M. C. At 10:30 the reception of the visiting clergy will take place, and at 7:30 p. m. the lalty will be received in the convent hall. Hon. T. S. Riley will make an address on on behalf of the English speaking Catholics, and Mr. Peter Bonenberger one for the German speaking berger one for the German speaking Catholics, and Bishop Kain will make a brief address from the portice of the Cathedral. The celebration is looked forward to with great interest by all the Catholics of Wheeling and vicinity, and the calebration will doubtless surpass anything of the kind ever seen in Wheeling.

New York Life's Shortage.

New York, June 26 .- An evening pa per says: "It is now stated on authority of an officer of the New York Life Insurance Company that a new shortage of \$125,000 has been discovered in the accounts of the Spinish-American de partment.

This deficit is also due to the peculiar business methods of Agent Mersebacker and, added to the former shortage in his accounts of \$272,000, brings the total amount of the detaleation to nearly half a million.

Negroes Shot in Texas.

DANGERFIELD, TEXAS, June 27 .- News has just reached here that two negroes living in Cass county, ten miles east of this place, named Will Hartsfeld and Mun Sheppard, were taken out and shot to death. There is no clue to the gullty parties. Mun Sheppard had a bad rep-utation, and this is supposed to have been the cause of his death.

For Ohio, West Virginia and Western Pennsyl-nuia, light showers; cooler; northerly winds FRIDAY.

WE think we have the best boys' \$1 15 Button, Lace or Congress Shoe in the city. STONE'S CASH SHOE STORE.

HOUSES BUT BUBBLES.

In the Path of the Great Storm About Cherokee, Iowa.

IT WAS TERRIBLY WONDERFUL.

An Eye Witness Briefly Describes the Scene-Houses Trembled, Swung Around and Broke Like Rocks-Hundreds of Families Were Made Homeless---Storms Elsewhere.

FORT DODGE, IOWA, June 26 .- An eye

witness of Tuesday's flood, who has just arrived from Cherokee, states that it is necessary for one to see to have the least idea of the great amount of damage done. "Why," he exclaimed, "it is simply terribly wonderful, the way that immense body of water swept things before it. Houses were but bubbles on its crest. I was at Cherokee when the cloud bursts came, and in less time than it takes to tell it, a flood was upon the town. Houses were seen to tremble, swing half around and be carried along by the torrents. Trees were bent and broken like rocks, and not a thing could stop the terrilic onward rush of the water, and all this occurred before the people could possibly realize what had happened. The most remarkable feature of the disaster is that any assople in the of the disaster is that any people in the track of the flood escaped with their lives. As far as I know, no lives were lost at Cherokee and the immediate vicinity. The storm rendered between vicinity. The storm rendered between 300 and 400 families homeless in and 300 and 400 annihes nomeless in and about Cherokee. These are being cared for in the Masonic, G. A. R. and Knights of Pythias halls of Cherokee. The amount of damage will reach a quarter of a million dollars."

THE STORM AT MOVILLE.

The Town Is Almost Wiped Out and Au-

Boone, IA., June 26 .- At the Chicago & Northwestern headquarters in this city was received to-day the first direct news from the scene of the floods on the Maple river branch of the road. The dispatch is from the operator at Moville, and says that the town is almost ville, and says that the town is almost wiped out. The water run in at the depot windows and is up to the ceilings of all the buildings. All the houses in the flat portion of the town have been swept away and the railroad turn-table is washed from its place. Three miles of track is gone between Moville and Kingsley, also most of the small bridges and the bridge over the Sioux river. This destruction is now being supplemented by another storm raging at present in the same vicinity and extending south to the main line of the Northwestern. It is raining very hard and the storm is trayeling east.

THE FLOOD AT CHEROKEE.

A Stench Arises from Hundreds of Drowned Aulmals. FORT DODGE, IA., June 26.—The latest advices from Cherokee say that the damage by floods is greater than at first reported. As the waters recode, the

carcases of cattle are landed, and to-day the stench from them permeates the air. It is estimated that hundreds of air. It is estimated that hundreds of head of stock have been lost. Two miles of track of the main line of the Illinois Central has been washed out between Cherokee and Sioux City. The Sioux riyer is subsiding, but it is still forty feet deep and covers a quarter nile of country. The average depth of the river when in its channel is about four feet. The work of clearing away the debris is now in progress, and aid is being rendered the unfortunate inhabitants.

tants. The town of Moville is still flooded, and not one of the 200 inhabitants are able to occupy their houses, and all are camping out.

The Storm at Sioux Falls.

Stoux Falls, June 26.—Further re-ports here place the loss at Sunderland by the storm at \$75,000 to buildings alone. Seventy miles of Illinois Cen-tral track are submerged in water. The loss will reach \$100,000, but it will take many days to repair it. The loss of the Chicago & Northwestern will be fully as great as the Illinois Central.

Still Raining.
OMAHA, NEB., June 26.—Rain has been falling all day. Some of the low sections of the city are flooded but the damage is

of the city are nooded but the damage is not very extensive as yet. Reports from the State bring news of additional damage by rain and wind. Three cyclones passed over Palmer last night demolishing crops.

A special from Ida Grove, Iowa, says twenty-five houses are flooded there and the people have been obliged to seek shelter on high ground. All communication with the north is cut off. The Maple river is the highest ever known.

A TERRIBLE CYCLONE. Several Persons Killed and Injured at Mt.

Carmel-It Came Without Warning.
MOUNT CARMEL, PA., June 26.—The Patterson Coal Company's breaker, located at Natalie, was destroyed by a cyclone this afternoon and the following persons were killed: J. N. cyclone this afternoon and the following persons were killed: J. N. Bloesom, Hawley, Pa.; s J. Bentley Dodson, Shicksiny, Pa.; Richard Roberts, Luzerne borough; William Lodge, Luzerne borough; an Italian, unknown, and another stranger are still under the debris. The breaker was located on the summit of Big Mountain, about 1,600 feet above the sea level. It are glosst due east and west about 1,000 feet move the sea level. It ran almost due east and west. The structure was about 300 feet in length, and the high-est point was one hundred and sixty-flye feet. The two unknown men were slaters, and were engaged in roof-ing the breaker at the time of the acci-dent. Shortly after noon the sky in the north became black and the darkness north became black and the darkness grew in intensity. The men perched on their high tower gazed on the advancing storm, expecting to doscend in time to avoid the rain. Suddenly a flash of lightning illuminated the horizon, a thunder peal that shook all the neighborhood followed, and the next minute the terrible wind gust gathered up the mighty structure as though it were a mighty structure as though it were a feather, and, whirling it around, dashed it to ruin. The men were mangled almost beyond recognition.